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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: EUR Chiefs of Station Conference

1. On 30 November 1982 I had the opportunity to spend an hour with the EUR Chiefs of Station. I spent the first part of the time talking to them about what we are doing in the five offices other than OTS such as FBIS modernization, improved efforts to tie research programs to Agency needs, etc. The major portion of the time I talked about the ongoing efforts of OTS which included 25X1 25X1 and new developments. 25X1 25X1

4. One or two of the Chiefs felt a need to reestablish technical requirements officers and the TRB (I think - Technical Requirements Board) within the DDO. My impression in talking with John Stein is that he felt such a board was not of great value in the past. The Chiefs were to meet with Clair George on the evening of 1 December and I suggested that they talk about this subject with him. No matter how we do it, it is clear that we need to establish the proper communications channel or channels between ourselves and the Operations Directorate.

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